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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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Applicant(s): OSHIDA, et al.
Serial No.: 09/678,652
Filed: October 4, 2000
For: METHOD OF INSPECTING A DNA CHIP AND AN APPARATUS THEREOF
Group: 1634
Examiner: B. Sisson

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 12, 2005

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the third month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed April 12, 2005, it being noted that an Amendment along with a Petition for one-month Extension of Time was filed on September 12, 2005. A credit card payment form in the amount of \$900.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 500.39147X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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